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 Filing Date ..... July 9, 1999  
 Inventor ..... David K. Ovard et al.  
 Assignee ..... Micron Technology, Inc.  
 Group Art Unit ..... 2745  
 Examiner ..... B. Zimmerman  
 Attorney's Docket No. .... MI40-177  
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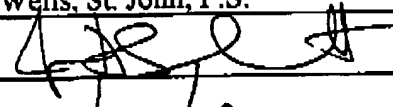
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	First Named Inventor	David K. Ovard et al.
	Group Art Unit	2745
	Examiner Name	B. Zimmerman
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1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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